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Title: METHOD FOR FORMING A SECURITY STOPPER-CAPSULE AND APPLYING IT TO CONTAINERS WITH A THREADED MOUTH, AND THE STOPPER-CAPSULE OBTAINED THEREBY

## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION TO FILE MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the accompanying Notification to File Missing Requirements dated January 5, 2006, we enclose herewith a new executed declaration which provides the inventor's full name and citizenship.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account the required 37 C.F.R. §1.492(e) small entity surcharge of \$65.00.

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

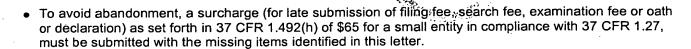
- Indication of Small Entity Status.
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/02/2005
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- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/02/2005
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- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/02/2005
- Assignment filed on 05/02/2005
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- Power of Attorney filed on 05/02/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - does not identify the citizenship of each inventor.
  - Inventor not identified. (only signature provided)

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### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

\$65 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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